GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ATOMIC ENERGY
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:905
ANSWERED ON:01.03.2000
EXPANSION OF TARAPUR ATOMIC POWER PLANT
CHINTAMAN NAVSHA WANAGA

Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to expand the units-III and IV of Tarapur Atomic Power Plant;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the displaced persons, caused by expansion of unit-III and IV, have been rehabilitated/compensated adequately;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the measures taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY

(SMT. VASUNDHRA RAJE) :

(a) & (b) At Tarapur, TAPS-1&2 (2X160 MWe) have been in operation since 1969. Presently, 2x500 MWe project (TAPP-3&4) is under construction at the same site adjacent to TAPS-1&2.

(c), (d) & (e) For setting up of TAPP-3&4, about 206 Ha. of land isrequired. Out of this about 160Ha. is private land intwo villages (Akkarpatti and Popharan) and balance is Government land. Rehabilitation of 1167 families in Akkarpatti and Popharan is involved and so far no family has been displaced. Government of India/NPCILis ready to provide necessary funds for payment of compensation and for the rehabilitation packages approved by Government of Maharashtra.